72ND YEAR.

RICHMOND, VA., SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1922.

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## NEW YEAR'S DAY HERE WILL BE VERY QUIET

Society to Call Only on the Governor, the Ancient Custom Being Unnoticed in Richmond Now-It Is a Time of Many Resolutions.

By Elizabeth Witt.

New Year's Day will dawn and set unusually quietly. I've always understood that the explosions only come after severe control under heavily proven resolutions. They are the products of exceedingly peaceful minds. Conditions in the morning will be favorable.

With the exception of the Governor's Mansion, which will keep open house tomorrow afternoon, the old custom, once observed throughout the city and still observed in some parts of the country, will pass unnoticed. Records of the New Year's Day of fifty years ago are full of the social spirit that held sway at that time. It was only the unforescen that closed the doors of the houses of friends. Men in tall silk hats and women in crinkly silks rolled down the streets in the rickety old hacks of that day. Society went out calling. If the unforescen appeared on the doorstep, a basket was hung on the door to receive the cards of those who called and the cards were carefully preserved.

The wedding will take place early in January. Holiday Decorations Used.

The home of Mrs. Archer Jones, on West Franklin Street, was attractively fixed with Christmas greens for the buffet dinner given in honor of Miss Elizabeth Watson last night. In the dining-room, red flowers were used as a centerpiece and red candles in antique candlesticks lighted the room. Mrs. Jones, who received with Miss Watson, were a baige colored dress and a corsage bouquet of violets. Assisting Mrs. Jones, were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, Mr. and Mrs. James Augustine, Jr. Miss Alice Reed Jones. Mrs. Stuart Hume served at the punch bowl. Miss Watson wore a dress of because the son wore a dress of brocaded silver cloth.

Pretty Table Last Night.

The table was prettily set with red flowers and red candles in silver





Sharp, Marion Carter Snow, Florence Tries, of Culpeper. The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Daniel, of Weldon; Mrs. A. S. Allen, Weldon; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Doniel, Grey Welsh, sponsor for the class

Grey Weish, sponsor for the class of 1922, chaperoned the party.

House Party Given in Trenton.

Miss Elizabeth Ingles Watkins left Friday for Trenton. N. J. She will attend a New Yesn's house party given by Miss Elizabeth Warren during her stay. Miss Watkins will return to Richmond the latter part of next week.

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Jeffries-Daniel Wedding.

The historic old Fork Union Baptist
Church, of Flavanna County, was the
scene of a beautiful wedding, December 27, at 6 o'clock, when Miss
Marion Bruce Daniel became the
bride of Robert Semple Jeffries, of
Norfolk, The church was effectively
decorated in Christmas greens, white
roses and tall candles. Rev. Cosby
Robinson and Dr. Sparke Melton performed the ceremony.

The bridesmaids were quaint taffeta frocks of different colors and

weldon; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Doniel, of Weldon; Carroll Jeffries and Sidney Allen, of Greensboro; Mrs. Elliott Averett and Miss Martha Mosby Averett, of Chatham, N. J.; Eugene Daniel, of Weldon; Dr. Sparks Mellon, of Norfolk, Mrs. W. S. Hatcher, of Richmond; Mrs. C. L. Demott; Misses Virginia and Katherine Demott, of Lynchburg; Miss Narcissus Baile, of Weldon; Miss Narcissus Biddick, of Raleigh, and Mrs. J. H. Sellinger, of Norfolk, Immediately after the ceremony abuffet supper was given the bridal party and a few intimate friends at the Old Homestead, the home of the bride's parents, 202 North Shepherd Screet.

Will Return Monday.

Miss Frances Watkins, of 4002 Hermitage Road, is spending the Christmas holidays with Miss Elizabeth Hardy, at 724 Raleigh Avenue, Norfolk, She will return to her home on Monday, January 1.

Annual Meeting Followed by Tea.

The Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities will have its annual meeting on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the John Marshall house. The meeting will be followed by a tea to which all members of the organization are invited.

Guest of Mrs. Axres.



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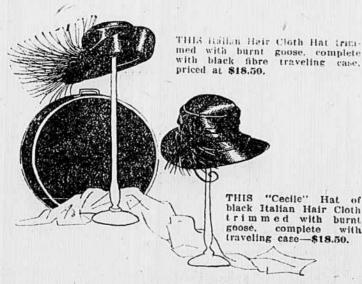
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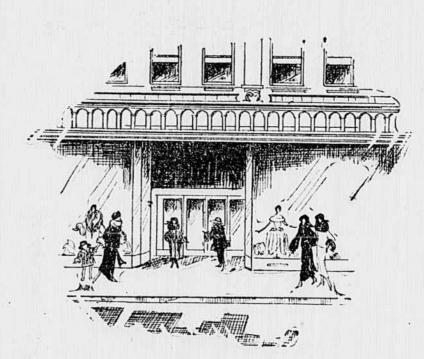
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NCE again the turn of the year is here, and one looks backward with a satisfaction of things accomplished, and forward with a desire to see bigger, better things materialize.

T seems appropriate at this time to express our appreciation for the large patronage we have enjoyed during 1922, and our hope that we may continue to serve even more successfully during 1923.

THE opening of our new store has been a spur to greater activity. Old friends and new friends have generously favored us. We look cheerfully forward to the coming year with a broader vision of progress and added opportunity to serve.

